

1.1 Reduce Time in Foster Care to Adoption

Topic: SM10a

Report ID: SM10a20

Report Content: Amount of time elapsed from the time of initial removal from home to the date of finalized adoption, inclusive of benchmark dates for the earliest assignment to an adoption worker and point of TPR.

Dependencies: None

Frequency:

- Annual to Reflect Federal Performance Measure
- On Demand

Runtime Parameters:

- Month Range
 - Begin Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
 - End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
- County (required, must be County or ALL)
- Site/Region (required when a specific County is selected)

Output File Names:

- The file names will be dynamically set based runtime parameters.
- Only the County and Site/Region parameters affect the file name.

Parameter	Result	File name example
ALL Counties	All-Counties is added to the end of the file name	SM10a20-R-SUMMARY-All-Counties
County and Site	The Site name is added within the file name, and the County name is added to the end of the file name.	SM10a20-R-SUMMARY-Milwaukee-Site-1-Milwaukee

Selection Criteria:

Whenever a Removal Date/Episode Begin Date is determined for a child on the report or used in a calculation on the report, it should come from the EPISODE.dt_rmv1 instead of EPISODE.dt_bgn.

For begin date, end date and site/region(s) specified:

1. Get all legal statuses with a new legal status of 'Adoption Finalized', where date order entered is between the begin date (parm) and end date (parm), and site/region(s)

associated with the place of finalized adoption (TPR case) is equal to the site/region(s) specified (parm).

2. For each of the legal statuses records selected in step 1 above, determine whether it is for a 'State Agency' child. To do so, retrieve the most recently created adoption referral record (based on ARE_REGISTRATION.ts_cr) using the person id and the case id stored on the legal status record. If the value in the 'This Child Placed By' field (ARE_REGISTRATION.cd_child_placed_by) on the adoption referral record equals 'Private Agency/Under Contract with DHFS' (code value =1), use this legal status in step 3. Otherwise, ignore this legal status record.

Children who do not have an adoption referral record in the same case the 'Adoption Finalized' legal status is documented under, or children who have an adoption referral but are missing a value in the 'This Child Placed By' field, will not be displayed on the SM10a20: Time to Adoption report.

3. For all records selected, create the following output:

OUTPUT #1:

- Adoption Region (CASE.cd_rgn for the TPR Case)
- Ongoing County (CASE.cd_ll_org)
- Ongoing Worker Name (ASSIGNMENT.tx_asgn_dscr)
- Child Birth Name (PERSON.nm_last, PERSON.nm_frst)
- Child Birth ID (Person.id_prsn)
- Removal from Home Date (EPISODE.dt_bgn where EPISODE.fl_rmv1 = Y)
- Date Assigned to Adoptions (ASSIGN_CATEGORY.ts_cr where ASSIGN_CATEGORY.cd_assign_type = 3 and ASSIGN_CATEGORY.cd_assign_role = 2)
- TPR Date (CASE_PART_STAT.dt_efctv where CASE_PART_STAT.cd_stat = 'T')
- TPR Appealed (Y/N) (COURT_DISP.fl_appeal)
- Adoption Type (ARE_REGISTRATION.cd_goal)
- Finalized Adoption Date (COURT_DISP.dt_efctv where COURT_DISP.cd_lgl_stat = 59)
- Adoption Worker Name (ASSIGNMENT.tx_asgn_dscr where ASSIGNMENT.cd_assign_type = 3 and [ASSIGNMENT.cd_assign_role = 1 (primary) OR ASSIGNMENT.cd_assign_role = 2 (secondary) with the most recent ASSIGNMENT.dt_start]
- Time from Removal from Home to TPR (Calculated Field)
- Time from TPR to Finalized Adoption (Calculated Field)
- Time assigned to Adoption (Calculated Field)
- Time from Removal to Finalized Adoption (Calculated Field)
- Time to Adoption Range (Calculated Field)

Sort Criteria:

1. Adoption Site/Region– ascending
2. Ongoing County- ascending
3. Ongoing Worker – ascending

Page Breaks: None

Level Breaks: None

Output Data: Output created as two worksheets in an Excel spreadsheet.

Audience: DHFS/DCFS/County Agencies/Adoption Partners

Business Intent: Provide information on time frames from the removal from home to finalized adoption for State Agency children, for the purpose of assessing performance in relationship to the federal measure.

Worksheet #1: 'Time to Adoption'

County (parm)	Time to Adoption Range	Number of Finalized Adoptions	Percentage of Finalized Adoptions
County Name (parm) or 'Statewide' if for all Counties	0 – 12	Data	Data
County Name (parm) or 'Statewide' if for all Counties	13 – 24	Data	Data
County Name (parm) or 'Statewide' if for all Counties	25 – 36	Data	Data
County Name (parm) or 'Statewide' if for all Counties	37 – 48	Data	Data
County Name (parm) or 'Statewide' if for all Counties	49 or More	Data	Data
Total		Data	

Worksheet #2: 'Time to Adoption Case Detail'

Adoption Region	Ongoing County	Ongoing Site/ Region	Ongoing Worker Name	Child Birth Name	Pre-Adoption Child ID	Removal from Home Date	Date Assigned to Adoption Worker	Date of TPR	TPR Appealed (Y/N)	Type of Adoption	Date Finalized Adoption	Adoption Worker Name	Time from Removal from Home to TPR	Time from TPR to Finalized Adoption	Time assigned to Adoptions	Time from Removal to Adoption	Time to Adoption Range
Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	0-12
Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	13-24
Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	25-36
Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	37-48
Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	Data	48 +

Note: Until full implementation of WiSACWIS statewide, some of the shaded columns will not include data when the Ongoing Services County which removed the child and conducted the TPR is not on WiSACWIS when the child was assigned to the Adoption Region. When data is not available due to this reason, the missing data will be represented with an asterisk ().*